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SPEAKER KRISTENSEN PRESIDING

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Good morning and welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. This morning our chaplain for the day is Senator Ray Janssen. Senator.

SENATOR JANSSEN: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: I call the thirty-ninth day of the Nebraska Unicameral Legislature to order. Senators, please record your presence, roll call.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Any corrections this morning?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Just two items, Mr. President. LR 301 and LR 302 are ready for your signature and that's all that I have. (Legislative Journal page 929.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do hereby sign LR 301 and LR 302. We next move to legislative confirmation reports. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, the first report by Retirement Systems involves the appointment of Mr. John Maddux to the Investment Council.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The Chair of the Retirement Committee, Senator Bruning, you're recognized to open on the confirmation report.

SENATOR BRUNING: Good morning, Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature. The Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee has unanimously recommended to the full Legislature the confirmation